Application of: Mark A. Hochwalt, et al.

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Response to June 14, 2007 Office Action

REMARKS

Claims 59, 73, 87 and 102, rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, first paragraph, have been

canceled to place the application in better condition for appeal, by limiting the issues to be

appealed.

The rejections of the remaining pending claims are traversed for the reasons previously

argued by Applicants in the Amendment and Response, filed July 25, 2006, and the Amendment,

filed January 11, 2007, each of which is incorporated herein by reference.

If any issue regarding the allowability of any of the pending claims in the present

application could be readily resolved, or if other action could be taken to further advance this

application such as an Examiner's amendment, or if the Examiner should have any questions

regarding the present amendment, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner please telephone

Applicant's undersigned attorney in this regard.

Respectfully submitted,

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